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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
YOSUKE EZUMI, ET AL.) Examiner: C. Chow
Application No.: 09/694,037) Group Art Unit: 2685
Filed: October 23, 2000)
For: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM)
WITH FIRST COMMUNICATION :
APPARATUS CAPABLE OF)
COMMUNICATION VIA FIRST :
COMMUNICATION LINE AND)
SECOND COMMUNICATION :
APPARATUS CAPABLE OF)
COMMUNICATION VIA SECOND:)
COMMUNICATION LINE) March 30, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed below and on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

- (1) Europe 0 865 186 A2
- (2) France 2 762 739
- (3) WO 98/11760

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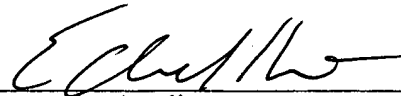
Documents (1) to (3) were previously cited in an Information Disclosure Statement dated January 13, 2004. Copies of these documents and corresponding English language abstracts were provided therewith.

English language translations for each of documents (1) to (3) are now enclosed for the Examiner's consideration. The concise explanation of relevance for each of the non-English language documents (1) to (3) is believed to be satisfied by the English language translations. See MPEP § 609.

The subject application has received an Office Action on the merits but has not yet received either a final action or a Notice Of Allowance. Accordingly, this Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by the requisite \$180.00 fee. The Examiner is urged to study this information in its entirety and to form an independent determination of the materiality of the information to the claimed invention. Additionally, the Examiner is requested to indicate that this information has been considered by initialing and returning the appropriate portion of the attached Form PTO-1449 with the next communication.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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